

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of: Neil Birkett  
Serial No. 10/661,945  
Confirmation No. 8389  
Examiner: Sophia Vlahos  
Group Art Unit: 2611  
Filed: September 12, 2003  
For: **STAGGERED AGC WITH DIGITALLY CONTROLLED VGA**  
Date: January 30, 2008

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
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**AMENDMENT**

Responsive to the office action, paper no. 20071009, dated October 30, 2007, please amend the application as follows.

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